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TWO CENTS

HEALTH OFFICER INHIBITS MILK FROM DAIRY ON SPEERS FARM

Sanitary Conditions of the Premises of the Worst Kind

OWNED BY A MONESSEN FIRM

A dairy which has been in operation on the old Sol Speers farm in Speers borough and operated by Kak-Jankas & Co., a Monessen firm, was on Thursday prohibited from doing business in Charleroi by Health Officer Darby. The local health officer took this step as measure of safety for the citizens of the community because of the unsanitary conditions which prevail about the premises.

The first intimation as to conditions existing at this dairy came to the local officer about six weeks ago, but health conditions in the borough at that time made it impossible for him to take any action. A few days ago he received a letter from a resident of the Speers borough, who complained not only of the unsanitary conditions prevailing but likewise of the actions of those who were in charge of the premises. It was said these men of whom there are four or five occupying the premises, spend their Sundays in shooting firearms, although it is said none of them are American citizens. Moreover, it is said they had made threats against some of the people of the neighborhood.

Mr. Darby made a preliminary investigation Thursday and finding conditions so bad he immediately notified the manager that no more milk from that dairy could be delivered in Charleroi.

A further inspection of the premises this morning revealed the fact that fourteen cows are kept in a stable without practically either light or ventilation; that three animals are kept in the kitchen of the house occupied by the attendants, and also a storehouse for feed and hay even the bed rooms being filled with these commodities. The stable in which the horses are kept is also overcrowded, although the animals appeared to be in good condition.

There are no arrangements about the place for taking care of the milk, no hot water for scalding cans after use as required by law; in fact the accommodation for taking care of the product of the dairy are of the most primitive character, while the sanitary conditions are such that they would be immediately condemned by any state inspector that might visit the place.

So far as Mr. Darby's authority is concerned it is limited to an extent yet he has sufficient power to prevent the dairy from doing business in this borough and by this means protect the people of the community from an unclean product. He has also notified some of the customers of this firm that they must not hereafter use any of the milk from

NEW STEAMER FOR THE MONONGAHELA TRADE

The steamer Golden Fleece has been purchased by the Condit Barge Company and will be placed in the trade on the Monongahela. The Golden Fleece, which was purchased at Paducah, Ky., is 134 feet long, 26 feet beam, 3.6 depth of hold and a draught of 26 feet. The boat was built in 1913 at Paducah. It will be brought to Pittsburgh at an early date.

FILES ACCOUNT OF ELECTION EXPENSE

John H. Donnan, treasurer of the Republican county committee, filed his account in the office of the clerk of courts on Wednesday showing bills paid to the amount of \$4,429.69. The only unpaid obligation is for telephone services during the campaign and for the returns the night of the election.

The heaviest expenditure, outside of the payment of watches, was for postage. The committee sent out about 3,000 pieces of mail matter at a cost of \$709.50 for postage stamps, while for printing the cost was \$303.63 and \$299 for clerical work. Automobile hire and transportation of voters involved an expenditure of \$256.50. Dissemination of information cost the committee \$700 and the total headquarters' expense, including the meeting of the executive committee, amounted to \$75.

The account shows that watchers appointed in practically every district in the county the total payments for this item aggregating \$2,681.

The heaviest individual contributor to the campaign fund was Joseph A. Horron, who gave the committee \$500. Henry W. Temple was the next with \$350. George T. Walker, Dr. J. Add house occupied by the attendants, Sprouls and David Curran each contributed \$250.

Contributions in the amount of \$200 were made by A. V. Lewis, Frank Wickerham, B. C. Parshall, W. H. Alexander, August Valentin, W. S. Lockhart and I. W. Baum.

Other contributions were those of Thomas Hill and John O. Watson, each \$75.00; George E. Adams, J. P. Emerson, W. F. Penn, W. W. Hawkins and J. T. Heffran, \$50 each and a number of smaller contributions from \$10 to \$25.

The Republican state committee made a contribution of \$1,000 to the local county committee.

This dairy unless they wish to be visited by a severe penalty.

The Monessen people concerned in the affair, having been notified of conditions, have promised to make radical changes in and about the place, and until such time as this is done, the dairy will be compelled to find some other outlet for its milk than the Charleroi market.

"Digging In" Behind The Battle Lines

Donald F. Allen, son of Ted. J. Allen, who "did his bit" in France as a member of the Twenty-third Engineers, writes a very entertaining letter to his Charleroi friends, in which he tells of some of the experiences of the American soldiers behind the lines while the big battles were under way. He tells in a very clear manner just how the boys have been getting on "over there," and of some of the disagreeable features they met with as they followed the Hun after the smashing drive south of the Marne. His letter is as follows:

Somewhere in France (Again) Nov. 2, 1918.

My dear People:—Well, I wish you would see your boy right now, or rather be here for just a minute. I guess a minute would be enough. I have seen many things and have had some great experiences since last I wrote to you, the greatest of which I believe was digging myself a home in the side of the hill while the "Big ones" were bursting all around. I tell you, you have no idea how fast a fellow can dig when he has to. At the present time I am sitting in sand, a little hole trying to keep warm and dry and listening to them give it to Fritz on three different sides of me and watching the airplanes buzz around over my head. It is just like a shooting circus. You cannot begin to see everything.

Today in my day off and as it will be some time before I have another opportunity will write home. Show this letter to Al. Steck. Also call up the office and tell them I am O. K. I believe this is the only piece of paper on this front, at least it is all I can find.

It is drizzling here now and getting much colder. A little while ago I shaved and tried to take a bath out of my mess cup. If you don't think that is some job, go up in the back yard and try it under an umbrella, while it is raining and cold. To make it more realistic you should have some one up on the hill shooting down in your direction just to keep you dodging. However I will not try it again. I have taken my last one for this winter.

This afternoon I want to go back a little ways to a place, which was once a city, where I think I will see some of the Charleroi boys (Jack O'Neil, Mutt Lowstuter, George Vetter and the others.) They have been here only a little while.

You can see by the above date that there is some drive going on now and that they are going thru. Tomorrow, we will move again for we are doing the work now that we thought we came over to do, so will keep moving as progress is made. My work, since coming here, has been making "little ones out of big ones." Am working on one of the main roads to the front and see some wonderful sights. One cannot begin to realize how big a thing it is until he has been here and seen it. There are millions of things to tell you, but cannot do it now. Anyway, you will not have to hear about the war from some lecturer, when it is over, for I can tell you myself.

If you are a good judge of jewelry, you will be especially interested in our assortment at I Birken, 522 McKean avenue.

Home Defense Police.

A meeting of the Home Defense Police is called for this evening at all 7:30 o'clock, in Night's auditorium. Business of importance.

Quite a number of articles which were loaned to the emergency hospital are still at the High School building and it is the wish of Prof. Pollock, who was civilian manager, that the owners call for them and take them away. High School building will be open Saturday morning from 9 a. m. to 12 m., during which time the owners are requested to call and secure their property.

Five hundred newspaper correspondents have left New York for France to report the proceedings of the peace conference at Versailles. This number does not include the sixteen representatives for the official report who are to be attached to the American peace ambassadors.

No surrender in history of the nations was ever comparable to the handing over of the German fleet. The Spanish in their brush with America, blocked and facing absolutely certain defeat, took a desperate chance. But the "invincible navy" of the former Kaiser—the sentence cannot be completed adequately.

You will make no mistake in choosing a diamond as a holiday gift. Our stock is of dependable quality as I shop at I Birken, 522 McKean avenue. 155-13.

LOCAL FOOTBALL SEASON WILL CLOSE TOMORROW WITH MONESSEN

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for the kindness and sympathy shown during the sickness and at the death of our brother and uncle, William H. Morris.

We also wish to extend our thanks to those whose last respect were shown by the sending of floral tributes all of which were indeed very helpful.

Daniel Morris and Family, 156-rf 711 Washington Ave.

CHRISTMAS CHECK TO MISSIONARY SOCIETY

The Women's Missionary Society of the Washington Avenue Presbyterian church held an interesting meeting in the Sunday school room of the church Thursday afternoon. The topic was a live one, and the discussion was much enjoyed. "Women in the Orient" was the subject and the leader was Mrs. Harry Lowstuter, assisted by Mrs. I. V. Kinder and Mrs. Van Speers. It was suggested that the war had changed the status of women the world over, and the hope was expressed that the future law-making bodies would consider the place of women, and especially in the Orient, where her rights are little respected, that more freedom should be given her.

A surprise was given the society when Mrs. F. C. Stahlman presented the society with a check for \$50.00, saying that it came from a Christmas fund that was begun by the members of the society, augmented by a gift from Mrs. Lucy Piper. The gift was much appreciated and a vote of thanks was tendered to donors. The following named persons were responsible for the gift: Mrs. F. C. Stahlman, Mrs. Clifford Robinson, Mrs. Vivia Stewart, Mrs. Van Speers, Mrs. Carl Piper, Mrs. Harry Wilhams, Mrs. George South, Mrs. I. V. Kinder, Mrs. W. B. Pfeiffer, Mrs. Ellis Allman, Mrs. Carolyn Piper, Mrs. George Leith, Mrs. Joseph Steck.

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Both Teams in Fine Shape For Classic Contest at Local Park

1ST CLASS OFFICIALS IN CHARGE

Tomorrow is the day for the big football game between the Monessen and Charleroi High school teams at the local park. The contest is scheduled to begin at 2:30 o'clock, sharp, in order to end the game in good time. All of the Charleroi players are reported to be in fine shape and full of that fighting spirit that is expected to result in bringing the championship of the valley to the local eleven. The team will line up as follows:

L. E.—Wagner or Williams.
L. T.—Childs or Underwood.
L. G.—O'Brien or Carroll.
C.—Lowstuter.
R. G.—Abrams or Clark.
R. T.—Savalein or Schmeiler.
R. E.—Hancock or Williams.
Q.—Martucci or Nelson.
P. B.—Brown.
H. B.—Glunt, Weaver, P. Hill, K. Hill.

Officials for the game are S. A. MacFarland of W. & J. referees; Dan B. Dougherty, W. & J., umpire; Bela B. Smith, LaFayette, head linesman and timekeeper.

A large crowd is expected at the game as Monessen is coming in force ready to make all the noise possible, and the Charleroi adherents are expected to be equally as large. It is also said the gates will be closed down in order to allow such of the employees as may wish to attend the game and many of them are expected to take advantage of the occasion to witness the contest. The local grounds will be well policed, not only by the local officers, but by the members of the Home Defense Police.

The local team asks the people of the community to show their support by coming out to the game tomorrow afternoon, as they have been at a great deal of expense preparing for the season, which in a large measure has been a disappointment because of the influenza quarantine which prevailed for so many weeks and caused the cancellation of so many games.

Local supporters are asked to remember the date and the hour—Saturday afternoon, December 7 at 2:30 o'clock.

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SCHIMMER SWIMS DOWN

When Frau Rosika Schimmer decided to navigate the Atlantic with Henry Ford in tow (on the "peace ship") in the autumn of 1915, encouraging the auto king to believe that he and she could talk the boys out of the trenches by Christmas, her ambitions were less limited than they are now. At that time this "citizenship of the world" was not

only determined to force peace upon warring Kaisers and Kings with the help of Mr. Ford and his check-book—but to see to it that women should share in their spirit man should dictate the terms. "We women," she said in a speech in New York, "will hold a second peace congress at the time that the nations agree at war are holding their peace negotiations, and we will not be satisfied unless our ideas are incorporated into the final terms of peace." Three years later we find that Mme. Schimmer has swum down a peg or five or accommodated her ambitions to an ungrateful world wherein there is a persistent refusal to accept aspiring souls at their own valuation. She no longer insists on dictating the peace and content to accept the post of Hungarian Ambassador to Switzerland, doubtless mournfully quoting along with the exiled Kings, sic transit gloria mundi. Yet Mme. Schimmer has good reason to reflect that, after all, she has done remarkably well for herself. She may be convinced that no job under the sun is really

enough for her but she is likely to reflect that to be the first woman Ambassador is no small potatoes.

AT LAST

Woodrow Wilson says in his message—"The American business man is of quick initiative." A lot of us knew this a long time ago, but it appears to have taken it a long time to reach the chief executive.

With the various military contingents discharging soldiers in large numbers every day there ought to be thousands of soldiers who were in training sent home in time for the Christmas holidays.

WILL ASK FOR SCHOOL CHANGES

Six bills for the improvement of the educational system of the state will be recommended to the Legislature if 1919 soon after it gets down to business by the Pennsylvania

State Educational Association with whom most of the educators of the state are affiliated. The association will meet in Harrisburg for its annual convention December 23, and the legislative program will be the big theme for discussion as the Legislature will convene soon after.

The program as outlined by the legislative committee includes a general increase of the state appropriation for common schools from \$18,000,000 to \$20,000,000 which is held to be necessary because of the expansion, costs and specification, including vocational work and appropriation of at least \$750,000 for the state's share of the teachers' retirement fund a war emergency appropriation of \$15,000,000 to \$18,000,000 to provide a 25 per cent increase in teachers' salaries in order to hold their services, as owing to the pay of other callings many teachers have left positions for more remunerative posts; a general physical training bill to apply to all schools and under state supervision, to the British army, with whom the schools where not advantageously located.

BRITISH DECORATE DONORA PHYSICIAN

Word has been received by Donora and Monongahela friends that the British government has decorated Dr. T. J. Hunlon a former Donora physician, with a military cross and promoted him to a Captaincy in the medical corps.

The award is for heroic action during the last drive of the British forces on the western front. Captain Hunlon was a member of the 1914 class, University of Pittsburgh and after taking a course in the Margaret Magee hospital in Pittsburgh, located in Donora for the practice of medicine. He volunteered his services after the outbreak of the war and was loaned by the United States government to the British army, with whom the Dr. served in France. He is a resident of Monongahela living in the

Police conditions in Monessen are certainly anything but complimentary to that borough. The officials of that borough owe it to themselves to see to it that the stain cast upon the reputation of their town by the murder of one of their police officers be wiped off by the arrest of the murderer, regardless of the expense.

British modesty is shown in the announcement of the close of the great war in Europe, as made in the official gazette in London—"In the fifty-second month of the greatest war in history the French army, with the aid of its allies, achieved the defeat of the enemy." No self-praise for John Bull in that modest sentence.

Gertrude apartments. He is a son of the late Terrence Hanlon, who lived in the First ward of Monongahela for many years, at one time being postmaster at Hazzard, Pa. One of his sisters is a teacher in the Monessen schools, while another is an employee of the Pittsburgh post office.

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156-11p

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156-11

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Lean Bacon by the piece, lb	41c	Fresh Cut Chopped Meat lb	23c
Lean Lard, 2 lbs	61c	Roasts Hump, Rib and Shoulder lb	25c
Pork Chops, lb	35c	Plate Meat, lb	15c
Lamb Loin Steaming, lb	15c to 18c	Fresh Sausage, lb	28c
Lamb Chops, lb	25c	Heavy California Hams, lb	24 1-2c
Choice Legs of Lamb, lb	25c	Small Regular Hams, lb	35 1-2c
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California apples 1-4 pk	25c
Extra large herring	15c
5 lb can Holland Herring	\$1.50
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15c black eyed peas 2 lbs	25c
Kidney beans 2 lbs	25c
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